



PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES JANUARY 15, 2015

I. CALL TO ORDER –

Supervisor Ken Fletcher called the meeting to order at 4:01 p.m.

Members Present: Supervisor Ken Fletcher, Clerk Mary Clark, and Trustee Karen Mojica

Staff Present: Township Manager Jeff Anderson, Lt. Mark Wriggelsworth, and Mike Roman

Absent: None

II. PUBLIC COMMENT – None

III. SET/ADJUST AGENDA – Motion made by Mary Clark to approve the agenda as presented. Karen Mojica seconded the motion. All agreed.

IV. APPROVAL OF DECEMBER 18, 2014 MINUTES – Motion made by Karen Mojica to approve the December 18, 2014 minutes as presented. Mary Clark seconded the motion. All agreed.

V. DELTA PATROL REPORT - Lt. Mark Wriggelsworth

Pawn Shop Ordinance – David Revore has revised the ordinance based on the input from the December 18, 2014 meeting. Lt. Wriggelsworth requested that this item be placed on the February 16, 2015 Board Agenda.

Issues at the Lansing Mall – Lt. Wriggelsworth reported that he has attended two meetings to address the problems at the mall. With the colder weather, an excess number of juveniles, unruly behavior, foul language and fighting are the concerns and it is scaring the shoppers.

The recent Case Credit Union bank robbery is not connected to the serial bank robberies. Lt. Wriggelsworth discussed the incident with the FBI.

A new officer, Andrew Jenkins has been hired and assigned to the Delta Patrol. Mr. Jenkins has an extensive background in crime scene investigation. Once the officer training is complete, we will be at full staff.

The Eaton County Sheriff's Department will hold its Annual Awards Ceremony on Thursday, January 22, 2015.

Lt. Wriggelsworth updated the committee regarding a recent incident where a suspect came to the Delta Patrol Station armed and was homicidal. The situation raised concern to look into installing surveillance cameras in the parking lot. Supervisor Fletcher suggested that a future Public Safety Committee Meeting be held at the Delta Patrol Substation and discuss this further.

Karen Mojica mentioned the increased presence of Michigan State Police Officers in Delta Township. Lt. Wriggelsworth responded that those assigned to Post 11 will travel Saginaw Highway frequently. Those officers are either assigned to Eaton County or Ingham County patrol.

VI. DELTA FIRE REPORT – Mike Roman

Mike Roman provided an overview of the Mission, Vision and Core Values of the Fire Department. One thing that has been added to the Badge Pinning Ceremony is the Oath of Office.

Active violence training – Eaton County and Delta are going to work together to develop a training curriculum.

Blue Card Training will be held in March. Ken VanHall is currently the only training. Delhi and Delta are the two training facilities in the area.

Accreditation – the self-assessment portion is underway.

The new fire truck is scheduled to arrive in May. The two ambulances are scheduled to arrive in June/July.

Tim Conley has been hired as a firefighter/paramedic.

VII. ADDITIONAL BUSINESS

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

The Meeting was adjourned at 4:27 p.m.